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CE 5-14-06* In response to the Office Action dated November 15, 2005, Applicant hereby responds as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.